

APPLICATION OPEN FEBRUARY 3 – APRIL 15

→ WHO WE ARE

Our vision is that every child has access to a quality education. Since 2000, ACE has provided more than 94,000 scholarships to children from lower-income families totaling over \$257 million and established partnerships with over 1,100 private schools across the country. Since launching in Louisiana in 2014, ACE families have accepted more than 15,900 scholarships totaling nearly \$68 million. ACE Scholarships has also established partnerships with 190 partner schools throughout the state.

→ WHAT WE DO

Our mission is to advance K-12 educational freedom, with a focus on securing financial support for families so they may access the quality education of their choice.

DOES MY CHILD QUALIFY FOR A SCHOLARSHIP?

Eligibility is based on prior school and income requirements. A student must either be entering kindergarten for the first time, coming from a Louisiana public school, or enrolled in a nonpublic school on a scholarship in the prior school year. Additionally, household total income, both taxable (line 9 on the 1040 for those who file) and nontaxable, cannot exceed income below. See the chart for ACE Scholarships' financial eligibility.

ACE SCHOLARSHIPS - FINANCIAL GUIDELINES		
Persons in Family/Household	2025 Poverty Guideline	ACE Maximum Qualifying Income: 250%
2	\$21,150	\$52,875
3	\$26,650	\$66,625
4	\$32,150	\$80,375
5	\$37,650	\$94,125
6	\$43,150	\$107,875
7	\$48,650	\$121,625
8	\$54,150	\$135,375
9	\$59,650	\$149,125
10	\$65,150	\$162,875

For families/households with more than 10 persons, add \$5,500 for each additional person.

Figures posted by US Department of Health and Human Services at: <https://aspe.hhs.gov/topics/poverty-economic-mobility/poverty-guidelines>

HOW MUCH ARE THE SCHOLARSHIPS?

ACE Scholarships are partial tuition, intended to provide added assistance lower-income families may need to enroll their child in a private school. Standard ACE award amounts are \$4,200 for K-8 and \$4,500 for high school, not to exceed the cost of the school's tuition and fees, and are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis with priority on returning ACE students and students awarded through the Louisiana Scholarship Program in the prior school year. Families are responsible for working out a payment plan with the school for the remainder of the tuition.

Changing Education Changes Everything

→ WHICH SCHOOLS PARTICIPATE?

A wide variety of private schools partner with ACE Scholarships. It is up to the families of potential scholarship recipients to select the best school for their child. To see a complete list of schools in Louisiana, please visit our website. Don't see your private school choice on our list? Have the school reach out to us to inquire about partnering with ACE.

→ DOES THE ACE SCHOLARSHIP FOLLOW MY CHILD?

An ACE Scholarship is transferable among ACE partner schools. Award amounts may change, however, based on school's tuition.

→ HOW DO I APPLY?

The application for an ACE scholarship is completed on a website called FACTS at the link and QR code below. The application will be open from Monday, February 3 through Tuesday, April 15 at 11:59 p.m. (in the time zone in which the school you are applying with resides).

FOR FAMILIES NEW TO THE SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY



1. Confirm that you qualify for an ACE scholarship based on the financial guidelines listed in the chart on the front.
2. Identify the right ACE partner private school for your child.
3. Complete the school's application and enrollment process for your child. If the school you are applying to also uses FACTS for their school application, you will use your same FACTS username to apply to both ACE as well as the school. You must complete an application for ACE Scholarships separate from your school application.
4. Answer all application questions and submit. You may upload supporting documents later; however, they must be submitted before the April 15 deadline in order for the application to be considered complete and eligible for a scholarship.

FOR FAMILIES ALREADY RECEIVING THE SCHOLARSHIP



1. Complete the school's application and enrollment process for your child. If the school you are applying to also uses FACTS for their school application, you will use your same FACTS username to apply to both ACE as well as the school. You must use the same FACTS username as the previous school year and complete an application for ACE Scholarships separate from your school application. If the school you are applying to does not use FACTS for their school application, you must still use the same FACTS username as the previous school year.
2. Answer all application questions and submit. You may upload supporting documents later; however, they must be submitted before the April 15th deadline in order for the application to be considered complete and eligible for a scholarship.

*It is imperative that the application is submitted and complete in order for your child to remain on scholarship.



To apply, visit: https://online.factsmgt.com/grant-aid/inst/4NCLO/landing_page

For any questions on the process, please contact (856) 746-6521 OR lasupport@acescholarships.org. You will be routed to either ACE or FACTS depending on the nature of your question.